

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: EFIS, MX  
SUBJECT: SEIZURE OF JAPANESE FISHING VESSEL

JAPANESE LONGLINE FISHING VESSEL, KYOWA MARU 21, WAS  
TAKEN INTO CUSTODY JUNE 9 BY MEXICAN NAVY FOR FISHING  
WITHIN 23 MILES OFF MEXICAN COAST. VESSEL NOW IN  
MANZANILLO; CAPTAIN AND CREW ARE FREE TO WALK STREETS  
BUT VESSEL HELD PENDING SETTLEMENT OF FINE SET AT 300  
THOUSAND PESOS (US\$13,300). REPORTEDLY MEX NAVY FOUND  
SWORDFISH AND TUNA IN VESSEL'S HOLD. IT IS EXPECTED  
THIS ILLEGAL FISHING INCIDENT WILL HAVE ADVERSE INFLUENCE  
ON JAPAN'S EFFORT TO NEGOTIATE FISHERY AGREEMENT.  
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